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POETRY: *A Magazine of Verse*

Poems, by Olive T. Dargan. Charles Scribner's Sons.
Trees, and Other Poems, by Joyce Kilmer; *In Deep Places*,
by Amelia Josephine Burr. George H. Doran Co.
Open Water, by Arthur Stringer. John Lane Co.
Poems, by Brian Hooker. Yale University Press.
The Single Hound, by Emily Dickinson, with Introduction
by Martha Dickinson Bianchi. Little, Brown & Co.
Poems, by Harry Kemp. Mitchell Kennerley.
The Shoes of Happiness, by Edwin Markham. Doubleday,
Page & Co.
Songs for the New Age, by James Oppenheim. Century Co.
The Wild Knight, Early Poems, by G. K. Chesterton. E. P.
Dutton & Co.
Songs and Poems, by Martin Schütze. The Laurentian
Publishers.

NOTES

In response to POETRY's offer of a prize for the best war or peace poem, so many acceptable poems came in among the over seven hundred submitted, that it was decided at the last moment to devote this entire issue to them. The editors feel that subscribers, and the public in general, will be profoundly interested in this assemblage of widely varying ideas, and that the number will be recognized as a fine presentation of American feeling, and a little British as well, on the absorbing subject of the present war.

Each poem submitted was read and decided upon before

the envelope containing the poet's true name was opened.

Miss Louise Driscoll, of Catskill, New York, the prize-winner, has published no volume as yet, but has contributed to POETRY and other magazines.

Of the other contributors, Mr. Joseph Campbell, the Irish poet, and Mr. Richard Aldington, the young English imagist, need no introduction to readers of POETRY. Nor do Miss Amy Lowell of Boston, Miss Margaret Widdemer of Philadelphia, and the Chicago contingent, Mr. Carl Sandburg, Mr. Maxwell Bodenheim, Florence Kiper Frank (Mrs. Jerome K.), and Alice Corbin (Mrs. Wm. P. Henderson), who is assistant editor of the magazine. Miss Lowell's poem was not in competition for the prize.

Karle Wilson Baker (Mrs. T. E. Baker) of Nacogdoches, Texas, has contributed verse to the magazines under the name of Charlotte Wilson.

Miss Marian Ramié is a Red Cross nurse serving the wounded in England.

Mr. John Russell McCarthy and Mr. Wallace Stevens are unknown as yet to the editor. Parke Farley is a pseudonym.

BOOKS RECEIVED

The Theory of Poetry In England, by R. P. Cowl, M. A. Macmillan.
Mary Magdalene, and Other Poems, by Laura E. McCully. Macmillan.